## RIVERS AND FLOODS

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The outstanding flood of December 1935 was the record breaking overflow of Buffalo and White Oak Bayous at Houston, Tex., on the 8th and 9th. This destructive flood was caused by excessive rainfall over Harris County, Tex., during a 42-hour period on the 6th, 7th, and 8th, with amounts ranging from 5½ inches at Houston to approximately 20 inches near the center of the 406 square mile watershed. The following report made by the Weather Bureau office at Houston, Tex., is of interest:

Torrential rainfall over Harris County on December 6, 7, and 8, caused phenomenal rises in Buffalo and White Oak Bayous. These streams have their courses almost entirely in Harris County and their confluence is near the center of the wholesale district of the city of Houston. The Buffalo Bayou flows through the center of the city and empties into Galveston Bay. The lower course from the eastern part of the city to Galveston Bay has been deepened to form the Houston Ship Channel. There has been the usual encroachment on the channel through the city and this operated to retard the flow of flood waters and caused exceptionally destructive flooding in the business district as well as in some residential districts. More than 100 city residential blocks were flooded. Homes had to be abandoned and much hardship followed. Fortunately, mild weather prevailed. Eight persons were drowned. The property loss is conservatively estimated at \$2,500,000, consisting of damage to roads, bridges, buildings, and contents. Several buildings in the wholesale district were completely wrecked by the undermining of their foundations. Stocks of goods in several warehouses were ruined.

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The greatest 24-hour rainfall in Houston was 5.38 inches on the 7th and 8th, but the catch in a standard rain gage exposed at Satsuma, a pumping station of the Humble Oil Co., in the north-western part of Harris County, was 16.49 inches, and catches of 21 inches were reported, but these were measured in improvised

gages and cannot be accepted as entirely reliable.

Levels run by the city engineer show a stage of 40.3 feet above mean tide level immediately below the confluence of the Buffalo and White Oak Bayous, as compared with 34.3 feet on May 31, 1929, and 34.3 feet in 1879 (date unknown). The crest passed in the early morning of December 9.

Minor floods with slight damage occurred in the Little and Sulphur Rivers, tributaries of the Red River; in East and Elm Forks of the Trinity River in Texas; and in the Petit Jean and Ouachita Rivers in Arkansas. Rapid rises, which closely approached but did not reach flood stages, occurred in the White River below Newport, Ark., and in the Arkansas River below Ozark, Ark. Ample warnings were issued, and only comparatively small losses occurred.

Numerous small ice gorges in the Missouri River above Kansas City, combined with the freezing of tributaries of the Missouri, checked the flow of water to such extent that an all time record for low stages at Kansas City, Mo., was established on December 27, 1935, when the river gage reading was -0.9 foot.

Table of flood stages in December 1935
[All dates in December]

River and station	Flood	Above flood stagesdates		Crest	
	stage	From—	То	Stage	Date
MISSISSIPPI SYSTEM					
White Basin White: Newport, Ark Georgetown, Ark Clarendon, Ark	Feet 26 21 26			Feet 18. 0 19. 5 23. 0	9 10 18
Arkansas Basin					
Petit Jean: Danville, ArkArkansas:	20	7	10	23. 30	9
Ozark, Ark Ozark, Ark Dardanelle, Ark Morrilton, Ark Little Rock, Ark Pine Bluff, Ark	23			15. 6 18. 48 17. 20 18. 0 20. 9	8 8 8 9
Red Basin		]			
Ouachita: Arkadelphia, Ark Camden, Ark Little: Whitecliffs, Ark	17 26 25	7	7	17. 72 25. 26 25. 7	7 13 11
Sulphur: Ringo Crossing, Tex Naples, Tex	20 22	7 12	10 16	23. 9 24. 3	7 13
WEST GULF OF MEXICO DRAINAGE					
East Fork (Trinity): Rockwall, Tex	13 6 25	9 7 9	9 8 19	16. 15 7. 45 26. 4	9 7 13

## FLOOD LOSSES DURING 1935

The estimated flood losses in the United States during 1935 were the greatest since 1927, and amounted to \$127,144,841. A comparative table of estimated flood losses for the years 1927-35, inclusive, follows:

Year	Damage	Lives lost	Year	Damage	Lives lost
1927	\$316, 717, 631 44, 167, 214 54, 699, 937 13, 857, 475 2, 867, 725	391 23 56 12 6	1932 1933 1934 1935	\$12, 796, 645 35, 322, 410 10, 351, 291 127, 144, 841	56 23 87 244

The following tables are statements of estimated flood losses, and savings effected by Weather Bureau flood warnings in the year 1935.

Statement of estimated flood losses during the year	1935	East Gulf of Mexico Drainage	
St. Lawrence Drainage		TALLAPOOSA RIVER IN ALABAMA	
SAGINAW RIVER IN MICHIGAN		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$1,000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyedSuspension of business, including wages of employees _	\$175, 000 10, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	1, 000
EMALL STREAMS AROUND ITHACA, N. Y.	10, 000	ALABAMA RIVER IN ALABAMA  Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	50
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed.	13, 000, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	125
		TOMBIGBEE RIVER IN ALABAMA	
Total.  Atlantic Slope Drainage	=======================================	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	2, 250 18, 100
CONNECTICUT RIVER IN NEW ENGLAND		Matured crops Livestock and other movable property Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	2, 300 12, 500
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	3, 368 9, 400	PASCAGOULA RIVER IN MISSISSIPPI	
MOHAWK RIVER IN NEW YORK	5, 100	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	32, 500 100
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	188, 000	Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees	2, 400 200
SCHUYLKILL RIVER IN PENNSYLVANIA	200, 000		200
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	200, 000	PEARL RIVER IN MISSISSIPPI	
SMALL STREAMS IN DELAWARE AND EASTERN	200, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	352, 550 3, 800
MARYLAND		Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	48, 000 7, 800
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	950, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees	239, 000
•	1, 650, 000	Total	723, 675
CHENANGO RIVER IN NEW YORK	100 550	Mississippi System—Upper Mississippi	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	126, 750 850	Basin	
Matured crops  Livestock and other movable property	100 11, 900	WISCONSIN RIVER IN WISCONSIN	
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	10, 390	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	178, 500 600
SUSQUEHANNA RIVER IN NEW YORK		Prospective crops  Matured crops  Livestock and other movable property	3, 500 3, 150
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Matured crops	7, 001, 700 5, 000, 500	Suspension of business, including wages of employees	7, 480
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	700	DES MOINES RIVER IN IOWA	
SUSQUEHANNA RIVER IN PENNSYLVANIA		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	63, 500 64, 300
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	1, 000, 150	Matured crops	339, 700
JAMES RIVER IN VIRGINIA		Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees_	6, 350 8, 800
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	33, 250 12, 600	SMALL STREAMS NEAR HANNIBAL, MO.	
Prospective crops  Matured crops  Livestock and other movable property	100, 000 2, 150	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	50, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	12, <b>72</b> 5	Prospective crops	70, 000
ROANOKE RIVER IN NORTH CAROLINA		ILLINOIS RIVER IN ILLINOIS	98 000
Prospective crops	12, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Matured crops	28, 000 301, 000
Matured cropsSuspension of business, including wages of employees	5, C00 27, 000	BOURBEUSE RIVER IN MISSOURI	
TAR RIVER IN NORTH CAROLINA		Prospective crops	10, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	2, 000	Matured crops	15, 000
CAPE FEAR RIVER IN NORTH CAROLINA		MERAMEC RIVER IN MISSOURI	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	1, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	17, 206 5, 000
Prospective crops Suspension of business including wages of employees.	2, 000 12, 000	Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	12, 000 2, 500
SALUDA RIVER IN SOUTH CAROLINA		Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	2, 620
Prospective crops	1, 500	MISSISSIPPI RIVER IN MISSOURI AND ILLINOIS	
SAVANNAH RIVER IN GEORGIA AND SOUTH		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	42, 415
CAROLINA		Prospective crops	72, 700
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Livestock and other movable property	5, 000 100	Matured crops	42, 500 75
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	9, 250	Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	180, 555
Total	16, 391, 383	Total	1, 527, 451

Mississippi System—Missouri Basin		TUSCARAWAS RIVER IN OHIO	
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER IN COLORADO		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$6, 250
Tangible property totally or partially destroyedProspective crops	188 324	Prospective crops Matured crops Suspension of business, including wages of employees	7, 500 12, 000 250
Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	1, 267, 530 243, 020	MUSKINGUM RIVER IN OHIO	200
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	31, 500	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	3, 075, 000
PLATTE RIVER IN NEBRASKA	<b>50.000</b>	Prospective crops	90, 000 3, 065, 000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	50, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	25, 000
SOLOMON RIVER IN KANSAS  Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	213, 000	LITTLE KANAWHA RIVER IN WEST VIRGINIA	
Prospective crops  Matured crops  Livestock and other movable property	7, 000 80, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Matured crops	1, 000 10, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	8, 500	BARREN RIVER IN KENTUCKY	
SMOKY HILL RIVER IN KANSAS		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	1, 200 2, 500
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops		Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	10, 000
Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	443, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees	200 1, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	48, 000 18, 300	GREEN RIVER IN KENTUCKY	·
REPUBLICAN RIVER IN NEBRASKA		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	148, 600
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	13, 000, 000	Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	536, 250 750
REPUBLICAN RIVER IN KANSAS		Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	34, 600
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	993, 600 12, 500	WEST FORK OF WHITE RIVER IN INDIANA	
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	858, 000 455, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed  Matured crops	2, 700 247, 200 16, 200
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	132, 500	WHITE RIVER IN INDIANA	-0, -00
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	22, 500	Prospective crops	100
Prospective crops	5, 500 85, 600	Matured crops	80, 000 2, 000
Livestock and other movable property Suspension of business, including wages of employees	$\frac{22,000}{12,500}$	WABASH RIVER IN INDIANA	
KANSAS RIVER IN KANSAS		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	15, 975
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	582, 100	Prospective crops Matured crops	4, 000 84, 400
Prospective crops	865, 500	Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees_	15, 000 20, 095
Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees_	49, 000 77, 000	CUMBERLAND RIVER IN TENNESSEE	,
GRAND RIVER IN MISSOURI		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Matured crops	31, 000 14, 500
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops Matured crops	2, 075, 000 1, 725, 000	Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees_	5, 000 19, 930
Livestock and other movable property	100, 500 900, 000	HOLSTON RIVER IN TENNESSEE	
OSAGE RIVER IN KANSAS AND MISSOURI	,	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed  Matured crops	6, 500 1, 200
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	167, 600	Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	260
Prospective crops	310, 000 793, 144	FRENCH BROAD RIVER IN NORTH CAROLINA AND TENNESSEE	
Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees_	11, 000 102, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	43, 200
MISSOURI RIVER IN IOWA	,	Prospective crops	100
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	500	Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	6,200 $1,194$
MISSOURI RIVER IN MISSOURI		ELK RIVER IN TENNESSEE	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	450
Prospective crops  Matured crops  Livestock and other movable property	1. 212. 950	Prospective crops	75 200
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	20, 500	DUCK RIVER IN TENNESSEE Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	450
Total	38, 957, 091	Livestock and other movable property	200
Mississippi System—Ohio Basin	<del></del>	TENNESSEE RIVER IN ALABAMA AND TENNESSEE	
ALLEGHENY RIVER IN PENNSYLVANIA Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	13, 185	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	13, 550
MONONGAHELA RIVER IN PENNSYLVANIA	10, 100	Prospective crops	10, 000 3, 200
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	13, 950	Livestock and other movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees.	400 9, 400

OHIO RIVER		Mississippi System—Red Basin	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$40, 100	OUACHITA RIVER IN ARKANSAS	
Prospective crops	12, 000 726, 532	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$48, 875
Livestock and other movable property	18, 780	Prospective crops	53, 500
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	28, 300	Matured crops	120, 500 14, 750
Total	8, 534, 626	Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	15, 220
Mississippi System—White Basin		LITTLE RIVER IN ARKANSAS	
BLACK RIVER IN MISSOURI		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	7, 500
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	40, 500	Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	61, 600 4, 100
Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	42, 500 10, 200	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	4, 300
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	23, 500	SULPHUR RIVER IN TEXAS	
WHITE RIVER IN ARKANSAS		Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	5, 100
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	105, 150	Prospective crops	5, 800
Prospective cropsMatured crops	23, 500 388, 450	Matured crops	97, 500 16, 000
Livestock and other movable property	43, 950	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	12, 550
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	43, 000	CYPRESS RIVER IN TEXAS	
Total	720, 750	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	150
Mississippi System—Arkansas Basin		Matured crops	2,400
MONUMENT AND FOUNTAIN CREEKS IN		RED RIVER	
COLORADO  Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	1, 882, 100	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	476, 900
Matured crops	81, 000	Prospective crops	203, 950
Livestock and other movable property	150 10, 000	Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	1, 285, 500 48, 025
<del>-</del>	10, 000	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	267, 475
CIMARRON RIVER IN OKLAHOMA  Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	10, 000	Total.	2, 751, 695
Matured crops	3, 000	=	
VERDIGRIS RIVER IN KANSAS		Mississippi System—Lower Mississippi Basin	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	10, 000		
Prospective crops	60, 000 100, 000	SMALL STREAMS AROUND MEMPHIS, TENN.	
NEOSHO RIVER IN KANSAS	100, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	200, 000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	174, 700	ST. FRANCIS RIVER IN ARKANSAS	
Prospective crops	13, 500	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	156, 000
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	$820,000 \\ 14,250$	Prospective crops Matured crops	77, 000 787, 600
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	15, 200	Livestock and other movable property	35, 000
NORTH CANADIAN RIVER IN OKLAHOMA		Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	547, 400
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	75, 000 1, 500	TALLAHATCHIE AND YALOO RIVERS IN MISSISSIPPI	
Prospective crops Matured crops	28, 500	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed.	310, 000
Livestock and other movable property	2, 000 2, 400	Prospective crops Matured crops	164, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	2, 400	Livestock and other movable property	718, 200 38, 148
CANADIAN RIVER IN OKLAHOMA  Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	25, 500	Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	1, 250, 000
ARKANSAS RIVER IN COLORADO	23, 300	MISSISSIPPI RIVER	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed.	220, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	107, 200
Prospective crops	22, 000	Prospective crops	144, 000 1, 645, 000
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	8, 075 5, 750	Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	11, 500
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	500	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	210, 300
ARKANSAS RIVER IN KANSAS		Total	6, 401, 348
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	115, 100	Mississippi System—Atchafalaya Basin	
Matured crops	57, 500		
ARKANSAS RIVER IN OKLAHOMA	405 750	ATCHAFALAYA RIVER IN LOUISIANA	4 700
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	485, 750 407, 000	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed Prospective crops	4, 700 3, 500
Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	986, 900 11, 300	Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	<b>75</b> , 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	67, 325	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	2, 000 1 <b>55</b> , 000
ARKANSAS RIVER IN ARKANSAS		WEST GULF OF MEXICO DRAINAGE	,
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	143, 250	NECHES RIVER IN TEXAS	
Prospective crops Matured crops	573, 400 1, 020, 200	Tangible property totally or partially destroyed.	5, 100
Livestock and other movable property.	122,850	Prospective crops	1, 200
Suspension of business, including wages of employees_	56, 700	Matured crops Livestock and other movable property	7, 000 1, 500
Total	1, 032, 400	Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	1, 500

TRINITY RIVER IN TEXAS		EAST GULF OF MEXICO DRAINAGE	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$114, 550	Tallapoosa River in Alabama	\$4,000
Prospective crops	8,600 $460,200$	Alabama River in Alabama	2, 000
Livestock and other movable property	12, 200	Tombigbee River in Alabama	71, 350 50, 500
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	31, 200	Pascagoula River in Mississippi Pearl River in Mississippi	144, 700
BRAZOS RIVER IN TEXAS		Manager Diggs	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed.	278, 500	Mississippi System—Upper Mississippi Basin	
Prospective crops	$97,900 \\ 851,825$	Wisconsin River in Wisconsin	250, 000
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	14, 085	Des Moines River in Iowa	27, 000
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	34, 280	Meramec River in Missouri	4, 500 16, 100
COLORADO RIVER IN TEXAS		Wildeling in Wilder in Wilder	10, 200
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	4, 814, 000	Mississippi System—Missouri Basin	
Prospective crops	1, 979, 750	Solomon River in Kansas	55, 000
Matured crops	5, 911, 000	Smoky Hill River in Kansas	80, 500
Livestock and oth r movable propertySuspension of business, including wages of employees.	228, 250 23, 500	Republican River in Kansas	987, 000
<del>-</del>	,	Big Blue River in Kansas Kansas River in Kansas	16,000 $1,335,000$
GUADALUPE RIVER IN TEXAS	100.000	Grand River in Missouri	2, 100, 000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed  Prospective crops	182, 000 485, 000	Osage River in Kansas and Missouri Missouri River in Iowa and Missouri	225, 000 679, 000
Matured crops	832, 000	MISSOULI LIVEL III TOWA SHE MISSOULI	013, 000
Livestock and other movable property	28, 000	Mississippi System-Ohio Basin	
NUECES RIVER IN TEXAS		All I Di I D I I	11 500
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	6, 200, 000	Allegheny River in Pennsylvania Monongahela River in Pennsylvania	11, 500 25, <b>00</b> 0
Prospective crops Matured crops	1, 250, 000	Muskingum River in Ohio	100, 000
Matured crops	1, 850, 000 45, 000	Barren River in Kentucky	10, 000
Livestock and other movable property	<b>40</b> , 000	Green River in Kentucky West Fork of White River in Indiana	555,900 $2,800$
SMALL STREAMS AND BAYOUS IN HARRIS		White River in Indiana	7, 500
COUNTY, TEXAS	0 500 000	Wabash River in Indiana	35, 750
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	2, 500, 000	Cumberland River in Tennessee  Holston River in Tennessee	105, 500 50
RIO GRANDE IN NEW MEXICO		Elk River in Tennessee.	800
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	364, 132	Duck River in Tennessee Tennessee River in Alabama and Tennessee	5, 000 19, 000
Prospective crops	26, 000 663, 000	Ohio River	130, 053
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	1, 800		
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	25, 000	Mississippi System—White Basin	
RIO GRANDE IN TEXAS		Black River in Missouri	6, 000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	112, 000	White River in Arkansas	333, 500
Prospective cropsMatured crops	39, 000 2 <b>3</b> , 000	Mississippi System—Arkansas Basin	
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	20, 000	Cimarron River in Oklahoma	4, 500
-	20 762 272	Neosho River in Kansas	78, 000
Total	29, 102, 212	North Canadian River in Oklahoma  Petit Jean River in Arkansas	5, 600 500
PACIFIC SLOPE DRAINAGE		Arkansas River	3, 703, 100
SAN JOAQUIN RIVER IN CALIFORNIA		Mississippi System—Red Basin	
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	\$25,000	MISSISSIFFI DISTEM—ILED DASIN	
Matured cropsSuspension of business, including wages of employees_	1,000	Ouachita River in Arkansas.	195, 300
Suspension of business, including wages of employees.	5, 000	Little River in ArkansasSulphur River in Texas	82, 000 171, 000
SACRAMENTO RIVER IN CALIFORNIA		Cypress River in Texas	6, 000
Tangible property totally or partially destroyed	276, 900	Red River	1, <b>202</b> , 500
Prospective crops	$137,000 \\ 81,250$	Mississippi System—Lower Mississippi Basin	
Matured cropsLivestock and other movable property	20,000		
Suspension of business, including wages of employees	11, 000	St. Francis River in Arkansas  Tallahatchie and Yazoo Rivers in Mississippi	310, 000 145, 000
Total	557, 150	Mississippi River below Cairo, Ill	338, 500
=		WEST GULF OF MEXICO DRAINAGE	•
Total estimated losses for the United States.		WEST GULF OF MEXICO DRAINAGE	
Estimated value of property saved by warning	18	Neches River in Texas	500 215 400
Atlantic Slope Drainage		Trinity River in TexasBrazos River in Texas	$215, 400 \\ 379, 000$
Connecticut River in New England	65, 000	Colorado River in Texas	1, 491, 500
Chenango River in New York	44, 300 135, 550	Guadalupe River in TexasNueces River in Texas	414, 000 554, 500
Susquehanna River in New York and Pennsylvania.  James River in Virginia	135, 550	Rio Grande in Texas	110, 000
	605, 000	Ino armido in romani	
Roanoke River in Virginia and North Carolina	68, 100		
Roanoke River in Virginia and North Carolina Tar River in North Carolina	68, 100 3, 000	Pacific Slope Drainage	
Roanoke River in Virginia and North Carolina Tar River in North Carolina Neuse River in North Carolina Cape Fear River in North Carolina	68, 100 3, 000 2, 000 7, 000		318, 000
Roanoke River in Virginia and North Carolina  Tar River in North Carolina  Neuse River in North Carolina  Cape Fear River in North Carolina  Peedee River in South Carolina	68, 100 3, 000 2, 000 7, 000 5, 000	Pacific Slope Drainage Sacramento River in California	
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